

**§ 10345. Authorization of appropriations**

There are authorized to be appropriated to the Director of the National Science Foundation, from sums otherwise authorized to be appropriated, \$2,500,000 for fiscal year 1993, for carrying out this chapter.

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**CHAPTER REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS**

This chapter is referred to in title 31 section 6703.

**§ 10401. Declaration of purpose**

It is the purpose of this chapter to—

(1) assist States in efforts to increase public awareness about and prevent family violence and to provide immediate shelter and related assistance for victims of family violence and their dependents; and

(2) provide for technical assistance and training relating to family violence programs to States, local public agencies (including law enforcement agencies, courts, legal, social service, and health care professionals), non-profit private organizations, and other persons seeking such assistance.

(Pub. L. 98-457, title III, § 302, Oct. 9, 1984, 98 Stat. 1757; Pub. L. 102-295, title III, § 302, May 28, 1992, 106 Stat. 201.)

**AMENDMENTS**

1992—Par. (1). Pub. L. 102-295, § 302(1)(A), which directed the substitution of "assist" for "demonstration the effectiveness of assisting", was executed by making the substitution for "demonstrate the effectiveness of assisting" to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

Pub. L. 102-295, § 302(1)(B), substituted "to increase public awareness about and prevent" for "to prevent".

Par. (2). Pub. L. 102-295, § 302(2), inserted "courts, legal, social service, and health care professionals" after "enforcement agencies".

**SHORT TITLE**

Section 301 of title III of Pub. L. 98-457 provided that: "This title [enacting this chapter] may be cited as the 'Family Violence Prevention and Services Act'."

**§ 10402. State grants authorized****(a) Authority of Secretary; application; requirements; approval**

(1) In order to assist in supporting the establishment, maintenance, and expansion of pro-